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EDUCATION

University of Florida | Gainesville, FL

May 2026

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, College of Liberal Arts and Science

GPA: 3.89

Minor: Spanish

Study Abroad: UF in Seville – Spanish Language and Culture

Relevant Coursework: Programming Fundamentals, Discrete Structures, Intro to Computer Organization, Engineering Stats,
Data Structures and Algorithms, Intro to Software Engineering, Information and Database Systems

SKILLS

• Programming Languages: C++, Python, HTML, CSS, Javascript, Typescript, SQL, SQLite

• Developer Tools & Frameworks: Git, GitHub, React, React Native, Expo, Maria DB, Flask, Supabase, Figma

• Language Proficiency: English, Spanish

INVOLVEMENT

University of Florida | Gainesville, FL

March 2024 - Present

Women in Computer Science & Engineering (WICSE)

- Attended WeCode 2025 at Harvard University to learn from leading female professionals and gain industry exposure.
- Contributed weekly as a backend project design team member to build a mobile application, detailed in projects section.
- Regularly attended career preparatory events and company seminars to sharpen my professional skills and network.
- Built community with other women in my major, encouraging and advising each other in classes and future steps.

PROJECTS

TVH WICSE Design Team Semester Project

April 2025

- Collaborated in a group of 5 to create a mobile app, resembling Letterboxd, for rating and reviewing TV shows.
- Designed the system database in Supabase, integrated it into the backend with Python, and linked user TV data to the extensive TVMB API.
- Assisted in designing and implementing the app features and user interface with Figma, React Native, and Expo.

Divine Slice WiNGhacks Hackathon Submission

February 2025

- Received the WiNG Award for project that best tackled an issue relating to women and/or gender marginalized communities.
- Devised the idea and led the project development of a frontend-focused, domestic violence emergency resource disguised as a pizza restaurant website, coded in HTML, CSS, Javascript and React.
- Collaborated with a group of 4 in the 36-hour competition, supporting two first-time web-development coders.

RateMyClub Introduction to Software Engineering

November 2024

- Collaborated on a full stack web application with React library, Flask framework, and SQLite database for users
 to research university student organizations based on submitted ratings and reviews.
- Contributed as one of two backend Python developers to create API routes which linked the frontend JavaScript with several tables containing user and club information that I sourced for our database.
- Led project planning and documentation process, creating multiple diagrams including our user story map and system context model.

EXPERIENCE

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October 2023 - Present

- Desk Assistant, Housing & Residence Life
- Engaged with students and parents in a customer service role to assist them in housing concerns.
- Communicated with upper staff to elevate proper concerns and collaborate on the best plan of action for different security situations and housing emergencies.
- Registered and inventoried packages for current residents and oversaw move-in room key distribution.